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# The Daily Courant.

Saturday, January 5. 1723.

**The Speech of his Excellency Samuel Shute, Esq; Captain General and Governour in Chief of His Majesty's Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New-England, &c. Also to the General Assembly of the said Province, begun and held at Boston on Wednesday the 30th of May 1722, continued by Prorogations to Thursday the 15th of November following, and then met.**

*Gentlemen,*

I Have received Advice by the last Ships, that the Copies of Monsieur Vandrevil's Letters have been laid before His Majesty; and I make no Doubt but that effectual Care will be taken to prevent the French Governours for the future from assisting the Eastern Indians, which will very much contribute to the shortning the present expensive War; for which End also I assure you my best Endeavours shall not be wanting.

Since our last Sessions, Delegates from the Six Nations are arrived in this Province; the Message they were sent upon, was to speak with the Eastern Indians, and to demand why they had so ill treated their Brethren the English? Upon which, I did, by the Advice of the Council, appoint Colonel Tyler, Mr. Secretary Willard, and Colonel Stoddard, to go to the Eastward with them, only to be Witnesses of what might pass at that Interview, as also to prevent the Delegates from being imposed upon by any false Suggestions of Ralle the Jesuit, or the Indians. I also gave Orders, that all the Treaties that have been made with the Indians should be carried with them; as also, the original Deeds of our purchased Lands, that they should be read and explained, that so all Things might appear to the Delegates of the Six Nations in a proper and clear Light. After their Arrival at Casco-Bay, one of the Delegates, with some Persons to accompany him, went to Narridgawock, and stayed four Days, where no Indians were to be found. Since the Return of the Delegates, I have had some Conferences with them in Council; which Papers, as also an insolent Letter which was found affixed to the Church at Narridgawock, written by Ralle the Jesuit, shall, when the House of Representatives desire, be laid before them.

*Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,*

The Forces desert in Numbers; if the same Methods that were taken the last War are not made use of in this, to prevent Desertion and Mutiny, you must expect little or no Service from them.—I must also upon this Head remark to you, that this is what the wisest Nations come into when ever they are engaged in War.

I have Nothing more to recommend to you, but the enlarging the Fort at Richmond, and building another at Cushnock; which, though the Expence will be but inconsiderable, yet will very much annoy the Indians, and prove of great Service to the Forces when any March shall be made towards their Head Quarters, or any other Parts of the Eastern Country.

*Basil*, Dec. 18. The Pope's Nuncio has in his Holiness's Name solicited the Roman Catholick Cantons to contribute to the Assistance of the Maltese, because of the great Likelihood there is that the Turks will attack them vigorously next Spring: But it is said the Cantons have excused themselves from being at any Expence on that Occasion, alledging their Inability by reason of the great Losses they yet are sensible of, and have not recovered since the last War against the Protestant Cantons. They will, however, give Leave that a Levy of a certain Number of Soldiers shall be made among them for the Service of the Maltese. The Cantons, both Protestant and Popish, have for some Time past made pressing Instances at the Court of France, that the Swiss Merchants might be indemnified in their Losses by Bank Bills; but it is reported that that Court has lately given them a final Answer, equally subjecting their Case with others included in the Tenour of some late Arrêts published at Paris.

*Berlin*, Dec. 25. The King of Prussia has caused an Edict to be published, requiring, that all Persons who have studied or shall hereafter study in the University of Wittenberg, shall not exercise any Ministerial Function within his Dominions; and consequently must be excluded all Ecclesiastical Benefices; because, the Dignity Professors in the said University, being the most rigid among the Lutherans, cultivate Principles directly opposite to the Means of Union between the two Protestant Communities established and authorised in the Empire. ----- Count Fleming is expected here daily, to execute a Commission of Importance from the King of Poland. ----- Major General Jagouzinski arrived here some Days ago from Russia, and having conferred with the Czar's Minister here, he proceeded on his Journey to Holland. 'Tis affirmed here by several Advices, that the Turks have declared War against the Muscovites.

*Hamburg*, Jan. 5. Letters from Russia by Way of Dantzick say, that the Czar has been indisposed at Casan, and that he received a Courier there with Letters from Persia, confirming that Miri-Weys is actually on his March towards Schamachie with a formidable Army to enclose a Body of 12000 Russians posted near the Caspian Sea; that upon the Receipt of this News pressing Orders were dispatched to Prince Menzikoff, to hasten his Journey to Petersbourg and Riga, to recruit the Regiments in Livonia, Estland, and Ingermanland, with all possible Diligence, that they may be ready in two Months to begin their March. Other Letters from Moscow

Moſcow affirm, that the Czar has had two fits of the Cholick at Cazan, but that the Remedy of Quinquina had wrought ſo good an Effect upon him, as to enable him to ſet out on his Return to Aſtracan; that juſt before his Departure, an Expreſs arrived from Conſtantinople, with Advice, that the Port has concluded an Alliance with Miri-Weys; that both of them have declared War againſt the Czar, and that the Manifeſto's on that Account are already publiſhed.

*Falmouth*, Dec. 31. Yeſterday put in the Reſtitution, belonging to ſome Engliſh Merchants at Corunna, from Lisbon, with Wine for Plymouth.

*Plymouth*, Jan. 1. This Day came in the Beavoyr of and for London from New-York.

*Dartmouth*, Jan. 1. Came in Yeſterday the London for London from Cadiz, in 22 Days. The two Ships from Barbadoes, bound for London, are ſtill here.

*Weymouth*, Jan. 1. Yeſterday came in the Vineyard from St. Malo.

*Weymouth*, Jan. 2. Came in the Endeavour of this Place from Rotterdam, William Edwards Maſter, who reports, that ſeveral Ships were loſt on that Coaſt in the late Storm.

*Briſtol*, Jan. 1. This Morning came in the Sea-Nymph from New-York, which Place ſhe left the 17th of November.

*Graveſend*, Jan. 3. Came in the Fortune, Happy Return, and Margaret and Mary, from Amſterdam; and Mary and Catherine, both from Hambourg.

*Deal*, Jan. 2. No Ship in the Downes.

*Deal*, Jan. 3. Arrived the Elizabeth from Lisbon; and the Mary from the Streights. No other Ship in the Downes.

*London*, January 5.

Yeſterday South-Sea Stock was 99 1 half, to 99. with the Dividend. Bank 116 3 qrs. 116, to 116 1 qr. Iodia 128 1 half, to 128. African 9 1 8th. Unſubſcribed Lottery Annuity 99 1 half. York-Buildings 14 1 qr. Royal Exchange Aſſurance 4 1 qr. London Aſſurance 5 1 8th.

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The Lectures Founded by the Honourable Robert Boyle, Eſq; will begin to be Preached on the Firſt Monday of February, in the Afternoon, in the Church of St. Mary le Bow.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this preſent Saturday, being the 5th of January, will be Reviv'd An Opera call'd, CRISPUS. Pit and Boxes to be put together, and in Regard to the Increaſe of the Numbers of the Subſcribers, no more than Three Hundred and Fifty Tickets will be deliver'd out this Day, at Mrs. White's Chocolate-Houſe in St. James's-ſtreet, at Half a Guinea each. No Perſons are to be admitted behind the Scenes. Gallery 5 s. To begin exactly at Six a-Clock.

Not Acted this Seaſon.

By His Majeſty's Company of Comedians,

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-lane, this preſent Saturday, being the 5th of January, will be preſented A Comedy call'd, The Way of the World. Written by Mr. Congreve. With Entertainments of Dancing: Particularly, The Paſtoral Dance of Myrtillo.

Acted but twice theſe Thirty Years.

By the Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this preſent Saturday, being the 5th of January, will be reviv'd, A Comedy call'd, Cutter of Coleman-Street. Written by Abraham Cowley. The Part of Cutter by Mr. Ryan, Colonel Jolly Mr. Quin, Trueman Sen. Mr. Hall, Trueman Jun. Mr. Leigh, Puny Mr. Egleton, Worm Mr. Hippiſley, Aurelia Mrs. Bullock, Lucia Miſs Purden, Tabitha Mrs. Egleton. With ſeveral Entertainments of Dancing.

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Whereas Thomas Grove, a luſty fair full Face young Man, about 25 Years of Age, with ſome Marks of the Small Pox, in a Sort of a Dun-coloured Suit of fine Cloth Cloaths, and Stockings of the ſame Colour, a large Drab Coat, fair Periwig Tye or Bob, left Duke-ſtreet, St. James's, on Friday Night the 22d of December laſt, and has not been heard of ſince. If he will give Notice by Letter, or otherwiſe, where he may be writ to, or ſpoke with, there being ſomething very much to his Advantage to be propoſed, let him direct to Mr. Jonathan Goodwin, in Kire-ſtreet, by Golden-Square. And all Perſons that by Chance may meet with him, are deſired to perſwade him to it; or if they can give Notice of him, as aforeſaid, any reaſonable Charge ſhall be thankfully repaid.

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